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January 23, 2017

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The Lincoln National Life Ins. Co.
c/o United States Corporation Co.
5760 I-55 North, Suite 150
Jackson, MS 39211

In Re: Case No.17, 0032-CO, Gabriel Bryant Aziz vs. The Lincoln
National Life Insurance Co., in the County Court of Warren
County, Mississippi

Dear Sir or Madam:

We enclose a copy of the Summons and Complaint in the
above-styled cause which has been received in the Commissioner
of Insurance's Office on January 20, 2017, at 4:34 p.m.

Respectfully,

MIKE CHANEY
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

BY

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Christy Parker", is written over a horizontal line.

Christy Parker
Assistant to Deputy Commissioner

MC/cp

Enclosures

Pc: Jan Hyland Daigre
P.O. Box 351
Vicksburg, MS 39183

Exhibit A

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WARREN COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

GABRIEL BRYANT AZIZ

PLAINTIFF

VS.

CAUSE NO. 17,0032-CO

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

DEFENDANT

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company
c/o Mr. Mike J. Chaney, Mississippi Insurance Commissioner
Mississippi Insurance Department
1001 Woolfolk State Office Building
501 North West Street
Jackson, MS 39201

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT(S)

THE COMPLAINT WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THIS SUMMONS IS IMPORTANT AND
YOU MUST TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR RIGHTS.

You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the following
attorney for the Plaintiff(s): **DAVID M. SESSUMS, ESQUIRE, Varner, Parker & Sessums,**
P.A., 1110 Jackson Street, Post Office Box 1237, Vicksburg, Mississippi, 39181, (601) 638-8741.

Your response must be mailed or hand-delivered within thirty (30) days from the date of
delivery of this Summons and Complaint or a judgment of default will be entered against you for the
money or other things demanded in the Complaint.

You must also file the original of your response with the clerk of this court within a
reasonable time afterwards.



Under my hand and seal of this court this the 19 day of January, 2017.

CIRCUIT CLERK OF WARREN COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI

BY: Danaher D.C.

Exhibit A

RETURN

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF WARREN

() I personally delivered copies of the Summons and Complaint on the ____ day of _____, 2017 to _____.

() After exercising reasonable diligence I was unable to deliver copies of the Summons and Complaint to _____ within _____ County, Mississippi. I served the Summons and Complaint on the ____ day of _____, 20____ at the usual place of abode of said _____, a member of the family of the person served above the age of sixteen (16) years and willing to receive the Summons and Complaint, and thereafter on the ____ day of _____, 20____ I mailed (by first class mail, postage prepaid) copies to the person served at his or her usual place of abode where the copies were left.

() I was unable to serve the Summons and Complaint.

This the ____ day of _____, 2017.

PROCESS SERVER

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this ____ day of _____, 2017.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires: _____

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DEFENDANT

COMPLAINT

COMES NOW Gabriel Bryant Aziz, Plaintiff, through counsel, and for cause of action against Defendant would show unto the Court as follows:

1. Plaintiff is an adult non-resident citizen of Mississippi. Defendant, The National Life Insurance Company is an insurance company licensed to do and doing business in Warren County, State of Mississippi and upon which process may be had by service upon Honorable Mike Chaney, Mississippi Insurance Commissioner. Defendant entered into a contract to be performed in whole or in part in Warren County, Mississippi, and this Court has jurisdiction and venue is proper before this Court.

2. Plaintiff is the daughter of Mary E. Bryant (Plunp) "hereinafter Decedent," who, upon information and belief, was insured under a policy of life insurance issued upon the life of Decedent by The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company with a face amount believed to be not in excess of \$75,000.00.

3. That Decedent, who was born June 6, 1955, departed this life being an adult resident citizen of Warren County, Mississippi, on January 5, 2016, and having a social security number of xxx-xx-7200.

4. Upon information and belief Plaintiff was the beneficiary of Decedent under said

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JAN HYLAND DAIGRE, CIRCUIT CLERK

policy of insurance issued by Defendant.

5. Defendant has been in contact with Defendant on more than one (1) occasion, requesting a copy of the policy in question and other information but to date Defendant has failed and refused to respond to all requests for information.

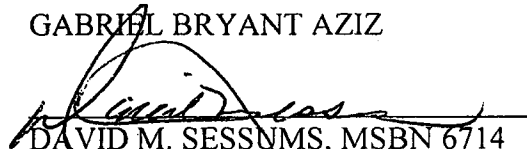
6. Plaintiff reserves the right upon being provided a copy of the policy and all pertinent information regarding premium payments under said policy and other matters relating to said policy to amend this Complaint to increase Plaintiff's ad damnum clause and/or to request punitive damages and attorney fees.

WHEREFORE PREMISES CONSIDERED, Plaintiff demands judgment of and from Defendant in a sum not exceeding \$75,000.00 together with interest and all costs of this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this the 18th day of January, 2017.

GABRIEL BRYANT AZIZ

By:


DAVID M. SESSUMS, MSBN 6714

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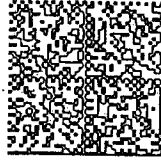
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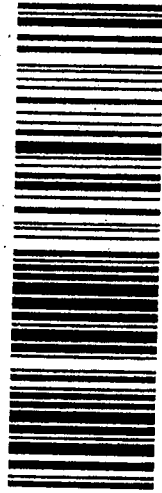
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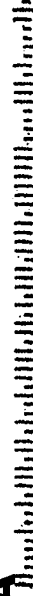
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Notice of Service of Process

Primary Contact: Benjamin R. Edwards
Lincoln Financial Group
1300 South Clinton Street
Fort Wayne, IN 46802

Electronic copy provided to: Ms. Debbie Bauermeister
Ms. Shawn Gross

Entity:	The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Entity ID Number 0186956
Entity Served:	The Lincoln National Life Ins. Co.
Title of Action:	Gabriel Bryant Aziz vs. The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company
Document(s) Type:	Summons/Complaint
Nature of Action:	Contract
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Case/Reference No:	17,0032-CO
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